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SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 19, 1884.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Until further notice our price on 1847 Rogers Bros. knives is \$2.50 a dozen, or \$1.25 a set. E. D. HARTZGROVE & CO. Putnam shooting gallery, opposite post office. 2644

Rats, sheet and snow last evening. Everybody was suited. Sam Lee, 130 North Water street—machine ironed shirts, 10 cents, collars 3 cents, cuffs 5 cents per pair. dec 11-ly

The special meetings at Stapp's Chapel were quite interesting this week and gave promise of good results. They will probably be conducted through next week.

Get good groceries at Nidermeyer's on the mound. All first-class. The revivals will continue through next week. Many professional conversions this week at the various churches.

"No. 1" is excellent coffee to be had only at Peter Ulrich's family grocery store.

Court adjourned at noon to-day until Monday at 1:30 p. m. The Childers case is still pending.

Chimes always on hand at Geo. Ehrhart's wood yard. dec 27-ly

More rough weather. Wet snow last evening and this morning more of the same kind, but on ground frozen harder during the night. Clearing in good again. Going? Yes, of course.

F. D. CALDWELL has the best grades of hard coal. dec 17-ly

The Kaufman & Bachrach loss by the fire at Eau Claire, Wis., is small. Their loss on stock, \$30,000, was nearly covered by insurance.

Hard and Soft Coal at Martin's. nov 12-ly

The revival at the United Brethren church continues in interest and good results. There were five at the altar last night. Meetings again through next week.

"Celtic Cornucopia" are tramps at J. W. Tyler's harness shop. Tyler will give you a pair if you buy harness of him.

The business men of Springfield have met Mr. Cochran at an appointed place, and heard his claims as to the merits of the "Fairbanks" machines. The decision of the capitalists is not yet ready to be made public.

Dressed chickens, fresh butter, reliable eggs, and fine groceries, at Hanks & Peterson's, 213 South Water street.

Open your hard coal from F. D. Caldwell, P. O. Block. dec 17-ly

No suffering from any scrofulous disease, who will fairly try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, need despair of a cure. It will purge the blood of all impurities, thereby destroying the germs from which scrofula is developed, and will infuse life and vigor throughout the whole physical organization.

Cheap carriages for weddings and parties at J. B. Dillard's undertaking establishment. 10-ly

"When a man kums to me for advice," says Josh Billings, "I find out what kind of advice he wants, and give it to him; this satisfies him that he and I are two smart men."

Patrons wishing the best instruments will find it to their interest to call first at C. B. Prescott's and save time. His favorite Haines Bros. pianos take the lead.

Always ask for Schroeder's famous favorite Bohemian cigars and you will get the best nickel smokers to be found in the city.

When we consider the little attention which is paid to the laws of health, we cannot be surprised at the indifference manifested in relation to the purity of the articles that are used in daily food. If all articles put upon the market were as perfect as Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder, this indifference might answer.

Produce ground oats, crushed corn, baled hay, screenings, and other feed at Tuller & Parke's livery store near the tubernois.

WAZWASER Zu der deutschen Methodistischen Kirche an der West Elberfeld Strasse. In dieser Kirche werden gegenwartig jeden Tag und Abend eroffnet und religiose Versammlungen unter Leitung des deutschen Evangelisten Rev. Chas. Schuch abgehalten. Alle unserer deutschen Freunde sind hiermit herzlich eingeladen, den Versammlungen bei zuwohnen. Alle sind willkommen. Die Gottesdienste werden gehalten Nach mittags um 2 uhr und Abends um 7 uhr.

WILHELM SCHROEDER, Pastor. REPORT OF ATTENDANCE In the School of Decatur for the Week Ending Friday, Jan. 18, 1884.

	No. Enrolled.	Yrly. Absent.	No. Total.
J. N. Wilkinson	10	0	10
Mary W. French	17	10	27
E. Allen Judd	6	3	9
Mary Wheeler	26	10	36
Kelli Breen	71	18	89
MISS WARD.			
T. L. Evans	48	10	58
Altha R. Hardy	48	21	69
M. Thompson	58	10	68
Ruth E. Crowley	58	17	75
A. Tucker	57	17	74
L. Donnelly	59	10	69
SECOND WARD.			
John Phillips	60	17	77
L. E. Ross	41	20	61
Mary M. Edwards	61	15	76
Helle Patton	61	15	76
M. R. Luskens	61	15	76
Anna E. Murphy	61	15	76
THIRD WARD.			
Joseph E. Duffee	61	15	76
Anna H. Jack	61	15	76
E. Anna J. Judd	61	15	76
Mary C. Groves	61	15	76
Harriet A. Judd	61	15	76
Ellen C. Phillips	61	15	76
FOURTH WARD.			
M. A. Parker	41	15	56
Rosa E. Judd	41	15	56
Sallie N. Brown	41	15	56
A. E. Woods	41	15	56
FIFTH WARD.			
C. W. Salency	41	15	56
Mary A. Bradley	41	15	56
S. E. Sanderson	41	15	56
L. Montgomery	41	15	56
SIXTH WARD.			
Miss Johnson	11	0	11

The latest agent in pure goods for Overcoats and Suits, at Fleury's the French Cutter.

Order Invoice coal, lump and nut, from F. D. Caldwell. 10-ly

Hats of all the leading styles to be had at CHAPMAN'S. 11-ly

A. T. Grist is now proprietor of the "Gem" touristal palace and bath rooms at No. 110 North Water street. Call and see him. 12-ly

A First-Class Concert Entertainment.

The large and select audience which greeted the Thursday Concert party, at the opera house last night, listened to one of the most delightful entertainments ever given in Decatur. Miss Thursday captured the audience at her first appearance, and before singing a single note. Her stage presence is very fine, her fair American face having in it that indescribable charm possessed by the daughters of no other land under the sun. She is not what the anglo-manics who rave over the expressionless face of the Jersey Lily would call beautiful, but her features and manners are of the kind that always please and attract. She possesses a voice of great purity and sweetness, though of rather light timbre, but she has all her vocal powers under most perfect control, and is blessed by nature with a faculty that no amount of more cultivation will produce—the ability to sing with expression and enunciate every word clearly. There is nothing mechanical about her singing; it is always expressive and full of meaning. In her operatic numbers Miss Thursday did well, but her forte is evidently in the direction of the lighter and more popular ballad. In response to her first encore she sang the popular English song, "Twickenham Ferry," with much taste and to the great satisfaction of the audience. When called out the second time she gave the "Maid o' Dundee," and at the close of the programme, after repeated calls and after discovering that the audience would not be satisfied with her graceful bows and smiles, she sang a German song, to the great delight of everybody who could understand the language.

The great artist of the evening, though, was the Chevalier Antoine de Konkski, court pianist to the emperor of Germany. His equal as a pianist certainly never appeared before a Decatur audience, and we doubt if very many of those present ever heard his equal anywhere. In the first place the chevalier has a true conception of music, and in the next place he has the artistic training necessary in a great performer. His touch has in it a delicacy acquired by few, while in technique he shows the rarest perfection. We never before had a pianist in Decatur who possessed the absolute power to make everybody in the audience listen to his playing. He displayed his mastery over the audience from the first, and his every appearance was the signal for the most pronounced demonstrations of applause. His best number was probably the closing one, "The Awakening of the Lion" (his own production), though the one that seemed to please the audience most was the Grand Fantasia on airs from the opera of "Faust," in which he skillfully wove in the well-known Soldiers' Chorus, playing the melody first with one hand and then with the other. It was a most admirable performance and everybody who heard it said, "Oh, if we could only hear more of such playing!"

TRIAL PUT OFF AGAIN. This was the day set for the trial of the People against Mrs. Kate B. Benjamin in Justice Lowry's court. The accused is charged with having stolen a two note valued at \$100 from Mrs. Joseph Bannister, a widow. About all the parties interested were on hand this morning, but by agreement of attorneys the examination was again continued until Tuesday, Jan. 29th. The attorneys for Mrs. Benjamin are David Hutchison and J. A. Buckingham.

An Arrest. Last evening Officer Hartley arrested Alice Kelley who is charged with using offensive and unseemly language to the annoyance and vexation of Sarah Walker and others. The city warrant was sworn out in Justice Curtis' court by John McCoy. Trial set for Tuesday next.

In the circuit court this morning Uncle George Winston, the colored extorter, was on the witness stand, testifying for the prosecution in the case of the People vs. Childers. George was cross-examined by Judge Nelson. The manner and answers of the witness provoked much merriment among members of the bar and the spectators, which it was difficult to suppress.

MISS DOLLIE MILLER, assisted by Mrs. J. J. J. of Terre Haute, and a Chicago vocalist, will give a grand concert at the opera house on Friday evening, Feb. 1st. This will be Miss Miller's first appearance in entertainment since her return from Europe, where she received thorough instruction in piano music, and as all our people are anxious to hear her, no doubt the hall will be crowded on the occasion of the concert.

POWDER-GUNS-SKATES. Special attention is directed to the advertisement of E. C. Reese, on the first page of today's paper. Mr. R. has a full and complete line of goods, of the very best and most popular brands, and sportsmen will do well to give him a call. He makes a specialty of roller skates, selling the best in the market.

Invitation. We would be pleased to have you present at a practical test of Prof. Horsford's Baking Powder. Delicious biscuits made without shortening at our store all day Monday and Tuesday, January 21 and 22, 1884. Respectfully,

P. S. ULRICH.

The Rev. Joseph E. Martin, pastor of the Episcopal church at Lafayette, has resigned his charge by request of his vestry. He is charged with having stolen some books from a book store in Lafayette. Rev. Martin was formerly rector in charge of the church at Lincoln, and is known to many Decatur people.

There were about ten couples present at the reception given Charles O. Matheny and his bride, at 1070 East William street, last night, by the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Matheny. The evening was delightfully spent in social chat and the discussion of a fine supper. The bride, whose maiden name was Katie Shine, is a native of New Albany, Ind., where her parents reside, and where the marriage occurred on Tuesday last.

The loss on property by the fire at Koeney is given at \$12,000, on which there was less than \$4,000 insurance. This is rough on Koeney merchants.

At Hunt-Price. Outside Wraps for Ladies, Misses and Children, in complete assortment, and embracing every make, style and quality; 800 garments to select from.

CHAPMAN'S. 11-ly

We notice that the ladies of Eureka and vicinity have formed themselves into a society known as "The College Aid Society," and are working vigorously to lift the debt from Eureka College. They are everywhere met with cordial receptions and liberal donations, and are succeeding beyond their most sanguine expectations. So it can be inferred that Decatur will stand no chance whatever in getting the college, unless we devise some honorable means by which that aid society can be made to disband.

A Pair of Solled Doves. The two loose women, Ed Johnson and Sarah Rineb, nabbed in the "chicken coop" Thursday night, were before Justice Curtis last evening. They pleaded guilty and each was fined \$10 and costs. While the birds were in the court room a gang of about 25 young men hung about on the outside, because the door was barred against their entrance, and they peered in through the windows to get a glance at the young women who nodded recognition to the fellows they saw. Tilda was kept holding industriously. She seemed to know about all the young men. Marshal Mason made out exactions against the pair. Sarah promised to pay as soon as she could earn the money. Ed said she could fork over the cash by Tuesday. Both are in jail.

THE CIRCUIT COURT. December Term, 1883—Judge J. W. Wilkin Presiding.

SATURDAY, JAN. 19. Court convened at the usual hour. COMMON LAW DOCKET.

James J. Chromer vs. the City of Decatur—suit to recover damages in the sum of \$5,000 by jury verdict, issues for the plaintiff, and damages assessed at \$45.

PROPEL'S DOCKET. The People vs. John Hockingberry—indictment for breaking into J. H. Hockingberry's house and stealing therefrom a coat, tried by jury; verdict, guilty on first count, that of burglary, and time fixed at one year in the penitentiary. The jury found the value of the property stolen to be \$200.

The People vs. Ashby Childers, indicted for the alleged attempt to assault Robert Winston with a deadly weapon with intent to murder. Childers and Winston reside on West Decatur street. They had a falling out last fall, when it was asserted that Childers pointed a gun at Winston. The trial by jury commenced at 8:40 o'clock this forenoon, with J. D. Walker as chief prosecutor and Thomas Low and Judge Nelson appearing for Childers. Testimony by the jury will in due season testify for the defendant, when court adjourned to 1:30 p. m. Monday.

The Good Work Still going on. The revival meetings at the German M. E. church are increasing in interest, there was a large attendance last night notwithstanding the disagreeable weather. Rev. Smith spoke very interestingly on the subject; "No room for Jesus." Quite a number were at the altar and intense interest was expressed by the whole congregation. The prospect for a general reviving of God's people is glorious, may it reach all the German speaking people of Decatur in the hearty prayer and desire of the members of the church. There will be meeting all day tomorrow and every night next week. All our German speaking friends are cordially invited to attend.

ALTAIR. This morning Clerk Hardy received a note from Wm. A. Baker, of Chicago, Ill., and here is a copy of it: "Dear Sir: Was there any marriage license issued from your office a short time before July 4, 1883, for a woman named Freeman, aged 20? The man now goes by the name of J. L. Compton, which is probably assumed. He is wanted. The marriage record shows that on April 25, 1883, a license was issued to a maiden named Freeman, age 19, but the man is married is a respected resident of Maroon where he has lived for some years. The couple were married by Justice McOray. The facts and figures have been sent to Mr. Baldwin."

They were by the way. The fact that a Decatur minister had married James Hatt, of Fairbury, and Miss Jennie E. Robinson, of Pekin, at the St. Nicholas hotel, this city, the bride having on her alone from Pekin to meet and link her fortunes with those of her intended who is 20 years her senior. The only James, who is a well-known stock journalist and writer, wanted the matter kept out of the newspapers, but somehow or other the next morning a telegram appeared in the Bloomington Pantograph announcing the marriage, and in this way the news reached both Fairbury and Pekin before the groom could reach either town. The Pantograph thus tells of Mr. Hatt's doings at Decatur: "It seems that his former wife, from whom Mr. Hatt had been separated, but not divorced, made her appearance about Pekin and Pekin just at the time Mr. Hatt was most devoted to the lady who afterward became Mrs. Hatt, and was proceeding to make it very unpleasant for both Mr. Hatt and Miss Robinson, whereupon Mr. Hatt obtained relief in a divorce from his first wife, and in a few days afterward was married to Miss Robinson. It is understood that Mr. Hatt's previous domestic troubles were in no wise chargeable to him."

To Housekeepers. This is the most important exhibition that has visited the city. The ladies of Decatur and vicinity are respectfully invited to attend an exhibition of baking with Prof. Horsford's Presumptive Baking Powder, now going on in this city. Ladies call and sample the hot biscuits made without the use of lard.

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LOOSE COTTON. Owing to our great desire to supply every want or demand in the above named department, or perhaps our liberal or extravagant mode of buying, we have accumulated a stock of this class of merchandise, every article a reasonable discount. We have therefore inaugurated a clearance sale, and offer:

The Best Dollar Carpet at 75 cents;
The Best 75c Carpet at 50 cents;
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Carry the News. In your days of billiards, when your lively tongue and your sharp wit, as a member you have a never-failing record in Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, which is unequalled in purity and effectiveness. In cases of dyspepsia, constipation, and in cases of malaria, it is a most effective and pure remedy. Price 25 cents of Dr. A. J. Stone, 11 South side new square, Decatur, Ill.

FRANK JONES, 1001 West St., Chicago, says: "Brown's Iron Bitters cured me of heartburn."

The Mark-Pugh "Tin Wedding" Celebration Last Evening.

Two years ago (Jan. 20, 1874), Mr. John C. Mark and Miss Almira Pugh were married in this city by the Rev. W. M. McElroy, and last night the "tin wedding" of this worthy couple was joyously celebrated at their home at No. 809 North Main street. The company present were Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gorin, Mr. and Mrs. John Imboden, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Hollman, Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Hamsher, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Imboden, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Roach, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Imboden, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Gorin, Mrs. E. C. Roach, Mrs. Colin Sears, Mrs. A. P. Griswold, Mrs. Leutz of Lebanon, Pa.; Mrs. E. C. Goodman, do; Mrs. John C. Imboden, Mrs. J. M. Lowry, Miss Harriet Davidson, Miss Sallie Leutz of Lebanon, Pa.; Miss Hattie Scott, Miss Mattie Gorin, Miss Lizzie Gorin, of Washington, Ill.; Miss Cassie Gorin, Miss Bertie Roach, Miss Mary Lowry and Mr. Newton Cook.

A splendid supper was served early in the evening, after which the company lingered until about 10 o'clock, passing the hours together very agreeably. Mr. and Mrs. Mark received a large number of appropriate gifts, which in a measure spoke the kindly feelings entertained by the donors for the couple.

PERSONAL MENTION.

F. L. Churchill, of Peo is, is at the St. Nicholas to-day.

T. C. Rust, advance agent for Baker & Farrow, arrived in the city yesterday. He was a guest at the St. Nicholas.

L. L. Forster arrived home this morning from a purchasing trip at Boston and other eastern cities.

Dr. J. N. Barnes made a professional trip to Canton yesterday, in which neighborhood he has a number of patients.

Mrs. C. B. Moore and daughter left last night for New York City, where they will join Lieut. Moore, of the United States Navy.

J. W. Rice is traveling through Indiana and Ohio on business. Mrs. Rice left for Athens, Ind., yesterday noon.

Ray Bingham, special officer, had to stand against the door at Justice Curtis' office yesterday to keep back the swelling crowd.

Mrs. Belle Gilliam, of Fort Scott, Kan., who has been in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. I. C. Pugh, will leave for her home on Monday next.

Colonel Matheny, of Springfield, is spoken of as a favorite candidate for Commander of the G. A. R. department encompment.

Mrs. Hatchin, aunt of the Hutchin brothers of this city, was a loser by the fire at Koeney Monday night. Two empty store-rooms owned by her were consumed. Loss, \$1200; no insurance.

L. A. McDaniel, who taught the shorthand classes here last summer, has been offered the principalship of the "Central College of Delectic Shorthand," located in Chicago. He has not yet decided to take or refuse it.

Mrs. Jessie Leforge, of Piper, Mich., has been in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. A. G. Gentry, who is a resident of a flying school, to be placed in the high school collection. Mr. G. is well pleased with the gift which will be examined with much interest by the pupils.

Rev. Mr. Moffatt, Secretary of the Christian Missionary Association, will arrive in the city this evening from the south and occupy the pulpit at the Christian church tomorrow at 3 p. m. He will preach at Harrison and at night at Niantic.

Dr. E. W. Moore and daughter, Miss Helen, arrived home last night, after an absence of two months in California. The trip did the doctor good, and he is now in better spirits and better fitted to practice his profession. Dr. Barnes is glad the senior is home again.

E. M. Doyle, a wealthy farmer residing near Moweaqua, was in the city yesterday and to-day visiting his son, who is a student in the law office of J. M. Clokey, Esq. He left for his home to-day, having renewed his subscription to the Republican.

Dr. K. L. Watson left for Indianapolis, Ind., at noon to-day, where he is called by telegram to consult with Dr. Proctor, of that place, as to the condition of Mrs. Albert Danivan, who is dangerously ill. Indianapolis was the former home of Dr. Watson, and Mrs. Danivan is an old acquaintance.

Miss Emma Thursday and her sister, Miss Tina Thursday, Manager Maurice Strakoch, (brother of Max Strakoch, who came here with the lamented Little), Chevalier Kontski, Rafael S. Glover and J. C. Norton, Jr., all of New York, were guests at the New Domes last night and to-day. The company left this afternoon for Fairbury, where they will appear Monday evening.

Billy Downing arrived home last evening from Clinton whether he went to see the owner of "Centennial Tom," which horse will be brought to Decatur Feb. 1 and placed in charge of Mr. Downing. While in Clinton Billy received the gift of a handsome black and tan dog with velvet and satin blanket, presented by Mr. B. Burroughs and his daughter. "Zip" has been given to Master Cliff, and he is more than proud of him.

Bishop and His Check. C. B. Bishop will make as all feel good at the opera house Monday night in his new play "Strictly Business." This from an exchange will give the reader an idea of the comedy: "The play is a comedy with a touch of melodrama. Mr. Bishop as P. P. Phillips, is an agent for American coated goods in Europe, and in pursuit of his 'strictly business' principles gets mixed up with the nihilists of Russia and falls into all sorts of scrapes, from which he emerges safely and with credit, notwithstanding all Europe by his check, and making the audience shake at every movement. He was well supported by Miss Emma Piers, as the Countess Ora Oranoff, who is a talented actress and a beautiful woman. The piece will be repeated this evening at the same place, and all who saw it will unhesitatingly recommend it as something too good to miss." Admission 35, 50 and 75 cents.

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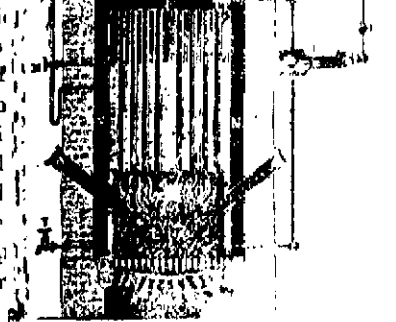
- 25 Men's Overcoats, all sizes, price \$2.50, worth \$5.
- 20 Men's Chinilla Sack Overcoats, price \$5.50, worth \$9.
- 15 Men's Chinilla Sack Overcoats, price \$5, worth \$10.
- 10 Men's Heavy Unlined Undercoats, price \$5, worth \$8.
- 25 Men's Fine Overcoats, broken sizes, ranging in price from \$16 to \$20, will be sold at the extreme low price of \$12.
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